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In re Appln. of: **Baker, et al.**

Appln. No.: **09/944,884**

Filed: **8/31/2001**

For: **SECRETED AND TRANSMEMBRANE
POLYPEPTIDES AND NUCLEIC ACIDS
ENCODING THE SAME**

Examiner: **Ruixiang Li**

Art Unit: **1646**

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action mailed May 6, 2004, please amend the
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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of Claims which begins
on page 2 of this paper.